

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
MARSHALL DIVISION**

INFERNAL TECHNOLOGY LLC, et al §
§
v. § CIVIL ACTION NO. 2:19-CV-00248-JRG
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SONY INTERACTIVE ENTERTAINMENT §
LLC §

**MINUTES FOR JURY SELECTION/JURY TRIAL DAY NO. 1
HELD BEFORE U. S. DISTRICT JUDGE RODNEY GILSTRAP
October 4, 2021**

OPEN: 09:09 AM

ADJOURN: 05:49 PM

ATTORNEYS FOR PLAINTIFFS:	See attached
ATTORNEYS FOR DEFENDANT:	See attached
LAW CLERKS:	Jim Lomeo Thomas Derbish Cody Carter
COURT REPORTER:	Shawn McRoberts, RMR, CRR
COURTROOM DEPUTY:	Andrea Brunson, CP

TIME	MINUTES
09:09 AM	Court opened. Court's greeting, introduction and preliminary remarks to Jury Pool.
09:21 AM	Court asked for announcements from the parties.
09:21 AM	Court continued by providing case information and gave preliminary instructions to Jury Pool.
09:30 AM	Prospective Jurors began introduction of themselves.
09:50 AM	Court provided additional instructions to Jury Pool.
09:54 AM	<i>Voir dire</i> on behalf of Plaintiffs by Mr. Joe.
10:21 AM	<i>Voir dire</i> on behalf of Defendant by Ms. Smith.
10:50 AM	Court provided further instructions to Jury Pool.
10:50 AM	Bench conference with counsel.
10:52 AM	Bench conference completed.
10:52 AM	Court instructions provided to Jury Pool. Court requested specific jurors to remain in courtroom while remainder of jurors recessed.
10:53 AM	Remainder of jurors recessed.

10:54 AM	Counsel approached bench.
10:55 AM	Strike conference began with specifically named jurors.
11:01 AM	Strike conference concluded. Attorneys excused to exercise strikes.
11:01 AM	Recess.
11:37 AM	Court reconvened.
11:37 AM	Instructions given by the Court. Jurors selected. Remainder of Jury Pool excused.
11:43 AM	Jurors sworn. Additional instructions given by the Court.
12:00 PM	Jury recessed for lunch.
12:02 PM	Court recessed for lunch.
12:53 PM	Court reconvened.
12:55 PM	Jury returned to courtroom.
12:55 PM	Court gave preliminary instructions to the Jury. Jurors were provided notebooks.
01:35 PM	Bench conference
01:37 PM	Bench conference concluded.
01:37 PM	Plaintiffs' opening statement by Mr. Buether.
02:07 PM	Defendant's opening statement by Mr. Buresh.
02:38 PM	Opening statements concluded.
02:38 PM	Jury recessed for break.
02:39 PM	Defendants invoked the Rule to exclude expert witnesses.
02:41 PM	Recess.
02:59 PM	Court reconvened.
03:00 PM	Jury returned to courtroom.
03:00 PM	Witness sworn. Direct examination of Mr. Chase Perry by Mr. Joe.
03:22 PM	Cross examination of Mr. Chase Perry by Ms. Smith.
03:36 PM	Redirect examination of Mr. Chase Perry by Mr. Joe.
03:39 PM	Recross examination of Mr. Chase Perry by Ms. Smith
03:40 PM	Witness excused.
03:40 PM	Witness sworn. Direct examination of Mr. Mark Randel by Mr. Buether.
04:33 PM	Bench conference.
04:35 PM	Bench conference concluded.
04:35 PM	Direct examination of Mr. Mark Randel by Mr. Buether, continued.
04:43 PM	Bench conference
04:43 PM	Bench conference concluded.
04:43 PM	Direct examination of Mr. Mark Randel by Mr. Buether, continued.
04:50 PM	Jury recessed for break.
04:50 PM	Recess.
05:09 PM	Court reconvened.
05:10 PM	Jury returned to courtroom.
05:11 PM	Cross examination of Mr. Mark Randel by Ms. Marriott.
05:30 PM	Bench conference.
05:31 PM	Bench conference concluded.
05:31 PM	Cross examination of Mr. Mark Randel by Ms. Marriott, continued.
05:41 PM	Redirect examination of Mr. Mark Randel by Mr. Buether.
05:44 PM	Recross examination of Mr. Mark Randel by Ms. Marriott.
05:45 PM	Witness excused.

05:45 PM	Bench conference.
05:46 PM	Bench conference concluded.
05:46 PM	Court provided further instructions to Jury.
05:47 PM	Jury excused for the day until 8:30 AM tomorrow.
05:47 PM	Court reminded parties to continue with their meet and confer efforts re: disputes and to advise Court staff re: same. If the parties have unresolved issues, the Court will be available in chambers at 7:30 AM tomorrow morning to meet with counsel to address same.
05:49 PM	Court adjourned.